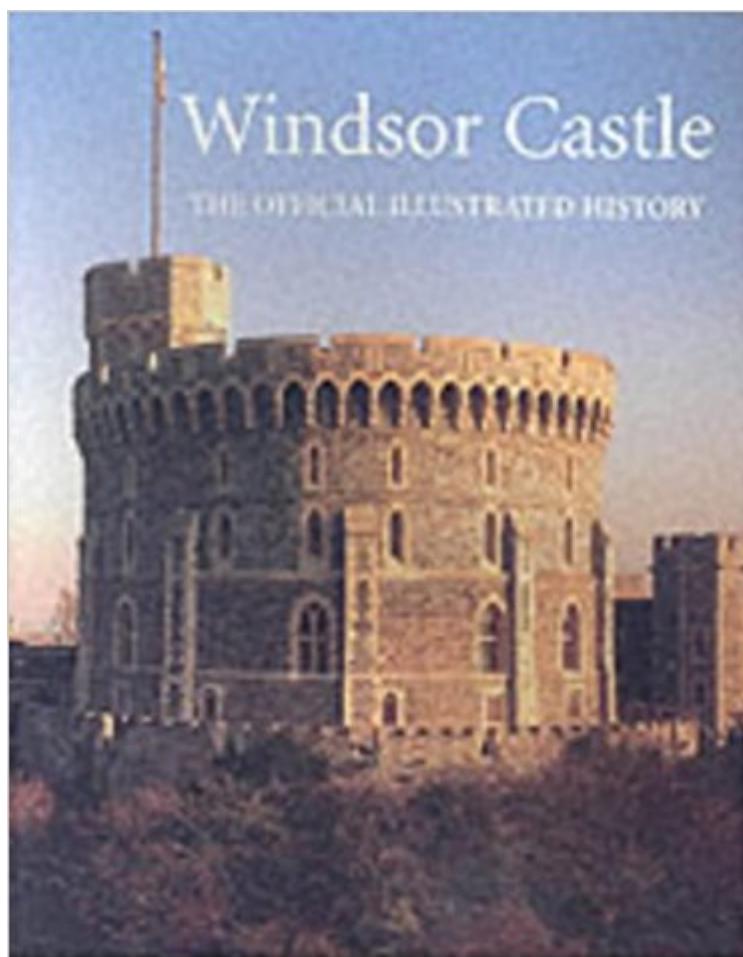


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Customer Reviews

John Martin Robinson is a prolific writer on British architecture. He is the author of a companion volume on Buckingham Palace and also wrote the official guidebooks to both Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle. He is Librarian to the Duke of Norfolk and Maltravers Herald of Arms Extraordinary.

I already own the Official Guide. This book complements it by showing watercolor paintings of how some of the most spectacular rooms looked once the original interior decorating was finished. Some don't look the same now. Where the room photos are the same, this book's are larger- some a full page (including many historical world-class paintings). I love being able to look at the details close up. There is enough difference between the two books to make each one valuable in its own right. Together, you feel like you have experienced more and enjoyed it more than even being on the tour.

very well done----

Nice book. Interesting text. Good colour Photographs. Fine paper. Well documented.

This is a beautiful book with a fair amount of historical information; however, I know the history was not as thorough as it could have been. I also didn't like that it had more drawings than actual photographs. Still, the photos they did have were gorgeous as were some of the drawings. I would still recommend it to people with interests in this field.

I have visted Windsor castle a few yrs ago and wanted this book to read and reflect on my visit.

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